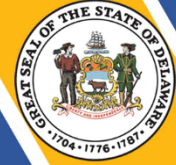
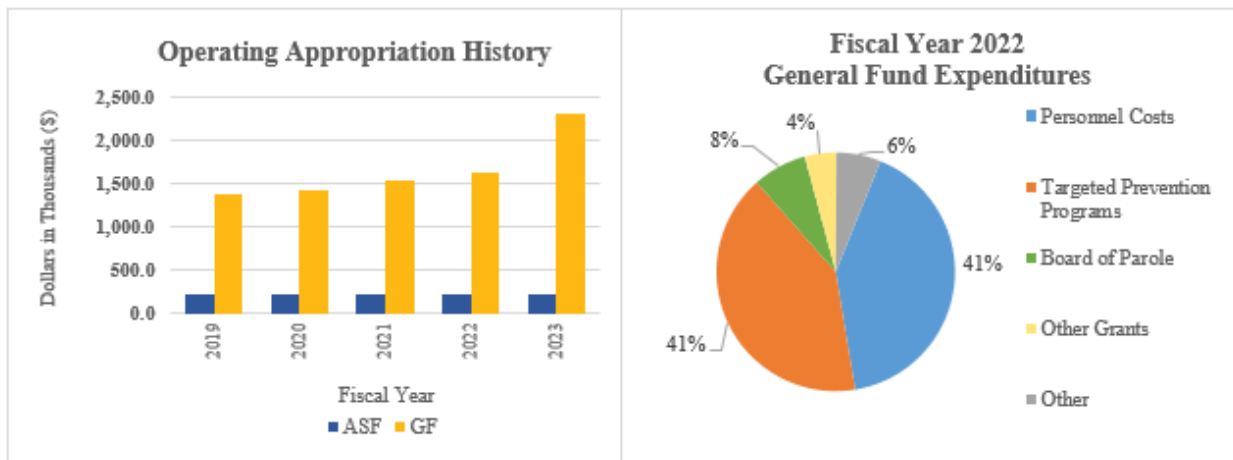


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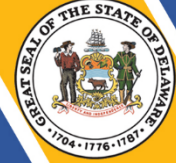
- Act as a liaison between the federal government and state criminal justice agencies;
- Develop a strategic plan using objective research, analysis and projections to improve understanding and effectiveness within the criminal justice system;
- Promote crime reduction through interdisciplinary approaches emphasizing community partnerships and empowerment and encouraging community participation through public hearings;
- Increase the number of victims made whole through effective restitution and timely restoration, placing increased emphasis on juvenile justice, the elderly, victims of domestic violence and the elimination of untested sexual assault kits; and
- Support the statewide videophone program.



Overview

Created by statute in 1984, the Criminal Justice Council (CJC) is an independent body committed to leading the criminal justice system through a collaborative approach. CJC continuously strives for an effective system that is fair, efficient and accountable, representing all areas of the criminal justice system and the community. CJC awards competitive funding to all facets of the criminal justice community from various U.S. Department of Justice grants, as well as discretionary grants awarded

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to the State. In Fiscal Year 2022, CJC awarded \$16.2 million to 167 programs and continued to administer an additional \$19.5 million in other active grants.

The Criminal Justice Council supports the Domestic Violence Coordinating Council (DVCC) that was legislatively created to improve Delaware’s response to domestic violence and sexual assault. Much of the work is guided through 10 active committees of DVCC and through the Fatal Incident Review Team. In Fiscal Year 2021, DVCC facilitated 13 virtual educational workshops on domestic violence and teen dating violence for 120 participants, provided 5 live trainings (virtual and in-person) to 125 professionals and partnered with the Family Court in sponsoring a one-day virtual conference where 200 professionals were trained on strangulation.

On the Web

For more information about CJC, visit cjc.delaware.gov.

For more information about DVCC, visit dvcc.delaware.gov.

Performance Measures

IPU	Performance Measure Name	Fiscal Year 2022 Actual	Fiscal Year 2023 Budget	Fiscal Year 2024 Governor’s Recommended
10-07-01	<i>Criminal Justice Council</i>			
	\$ (federal) awarded to criminal justice community (millions)	16.2	18	19
	# of sub-grants:			
	awarded	167	190	215
	active	313	300	435
	# of videophone sites	125	125	126
# of training hours provided*	45	135	50	
# of public outreach events*	10	65	15	
<i>* Performance results have been impacted by COVID-19</i>				